	Application No.	Applicant(s)
Notice of Allowability	10/822,315	LEASURE, BRYAN
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1. This communication is responsive to the amendment filed on September 5, 2006.		
2. X The allowed claim(s) is/are 1-10 and 17-26.		
 3. Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f). a) All b) Some* c) None of the: 1. Certified copies of the priority documents have been received. 2. Certified copies of the priority documents have been received in Application No 3. Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have been received in this national stage application from the 		
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EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

1. An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Attorney Glenn Seager on September 20, 2006.

The application has been amended as follows:

In claim 1, line 1, immediately after "A medical device", --for use in a patient's vasculature-- was inserted.

In claim 4, line 1, immediately after "A medical device", --for use in a patient's vasculature-- was inserted.

In claim 6, line 1, immediately after "A medical device", --for use in a patient's vasculature-- was inserted.

In claim 10, line 2, immediately after "frame is in the", "expanded" was deleted and --contracted-- was inserted.

In claim 17, line 1, immediately after "A medical device", --for use in a patient's vasculature-- was inserted.

In claim 18, line 3, immediately after "attached to the wall", --wherein the pumping mechanism comprises: an elongate member attached to the frame and extending through the chamber; and an actuation system comprising one or more actuating members, the one or more actuating members connecting the frame to the elongate member, the actuation system configured to move the frame between an expanded position and a contracted position.-- was inserted.

Claims 11-16 and 27-32 are cancelled.

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Tammie Heller whose telephone number is 571-272-1986. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday through Friday from 7am until 3:30 pm.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Robert E. Pezzuto can be reached on 571-272-6996. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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